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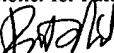
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Docket: 10873.759US01
Title: OPTICAL PICK-UP, OPTICAL DISK APPARATUS AND INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS

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- 20 sheets of formal drawings
- Certified copy of a Japanese application, Serial No. 2000-207001, filed July 7, 2000, the right of priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119
- A signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Assignment of the invention to Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd., Recordation Form Cover Sheet
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- Other: Communication re: submission of priority document, communication re: figure to be printed on published application
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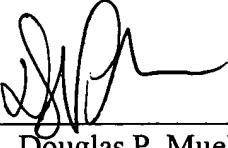
In connection with the above-identified application, applicant respectfully
requests that Figure 1 be printed on the front page of the published application.

If a telephone conference would be helpful in resolving any issues concerning this
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